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APPLICANT : Joseph OVADIA

ART UNIT: 3728

SERIAL NO.: 09/974,762

EXAMINER: UNKNOWN

FILED : October 9, 2001

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PETITION FOR REVIVAL OF AN APPLICATION FOR PATENT ABANDONED  
UNINTENTIONALLY UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.137(b)

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Sir:

Applicant hereby files this Petition to Revive an Unintentionally Abandoned Application pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.137(b).

Enclosed are the following:

a) Form PTO/SB/64 - Petition for Revival of an Application for Patent Abandoned Unintentionally under 37 C.F.R. 1.137(b), with authorization to charge Deposit Account No. 07-1524 for the petition fee of \$665.00.

b) Copy of Notice of Abandonment under 37 C.F.R. 1.53(f) or

c) Response to Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application under 37 Cfr 1.53(b), with authorization to charge Deposit Account No. 07-1524 for the filing fee of \$385.00.

d) Copy of Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application Filed under 37 C.F.R. 1.53(b).

e) Declaration and Power of Attorney in favor of the undersigned;

f) Revocation and New Power of Attorney in favor of the undersigned;

g) Form PTO/SB/122 - Change of Correspondence Address - Application.

h) New Figs. 1-7 (10 sheets) with correct margins.

The entire delay in filing the required reply from the due date for the required reply until the filing of a grantable petition under 37 C.F.R. 1.137(b) was unintentional.

It is requested that the present application be revived and be accorded the filing date of October 9, 2001.

The Applicant qualifies for small entity status.

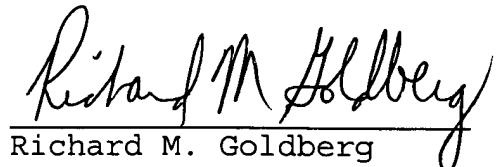
**As applicants qualify for small entity status, the Commissioner is authorized to charge Deposit Account No. 07-1524 in the amount of \$1,050.00 to cover the following:**

(a) Filing fee (including extra claims) .....	\$385.00
(b) Petition Fee .....	\$665.00

The Commissioner is further authorized to charge any deficiencies associated with this petition or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 07-1524.

Accordingly, it is requested that the present Application, which was unintentionally abandoned, be revived.

Respectfully submitted,



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**PETITION FOR REVIVAL OF AN APPLICATION FOR PATENT ABANDONED  
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Docket Number (Optional)  
**244/1/030**

First named inventor: **Joseph OVADIA**

Application No.: **09/974,762**

Art Unit: **3728**

Filed: **October 9, 2001**

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**APPLICANT HEREBY PETITIONS FOR REVIVAL OF THIS APPLICATION**

NOTE: A grantable petition requires the following items:

- (1) Petition fee;
- (2) Reply and/or issue fee;
- (3) Terminal disclaimer with disclaimer fee --required for all utility and plant applications filed before June 8, 1995; and for all design applications; and
- (4) Statement that the entire delay was unintentional.

**1. Petition fee**

Small entity-fee \$ 665.00 (37 CFR 1.17(m)). Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.

Other than small entity - fee \$ \_\_\_\_\_ (37 CFR 1.17(m))

**2. Reply and/or fee**

A. The reply and/or fee to the above-noted Office action in

the form of response to Notice to File Missing Parts (identify type of reply):  
 has been filed previously on \_\_\_\_\_  
 is enclosed herewith.

B. The issue fee of \$ \_\_\_\_\_.

has been paid previously on \_\_\_\_\_.  
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This collection of information is required by 37 CFR 1.137. The information is required to obtain or retain a benefit by the public which is to file (and by the USPTO to process) an application. Confidentiality is governed by 35 U.S.C. 122 and 37 CFR 1.14. This collection is estimated to take 1.0 hour to complete, including gathering, preparing, and submitting the completed application form to the USPTO. Time will vary depending upon the individual case. Any comments on the amount of time you require to complete this form and/or suggestions for reducing this burden, should be sent to the Chief Information Officer, U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, U.S. Department of Commerce, P.O. 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450. DO NOT SEND FEES OR COMPLETED FORMS TO THIS ADDRESS. SEND TO: Mail Stop Petition, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

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## 3. Terminal disclaimer with disclaimer fee

Since this utility/plant application was filed on or after June 8, 1995, no terminal disclaimer is required.

A terminal disclaimer (and disclaimer fee (37 CFR 1.20(d)) of \$ \_\_\_\_\_ for a small entity or \$ \_\_\_\_\_ for other than a small entity) disclaiming the required period of time is enclosed herewith (see PTO/SB/63).

## 4. STATEMENT: The entire delay in filing the required reply from the due date for the required reply until the filing of a grantable petition under 37 CFR 1.137(b) was unintentional. [NOTE. The United States Patent and Trademark Office may require additional information if there is a question as to whether either the abandonment or the delay in filing a petition under 37 CFR 1.137(b) was unintentional (MPEP 711.03(c), subsections (III)(C) and (D))].

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Fee Payment Hackensack, New Jersey 07601 Address  
 to be charged to Dep. Acct. 07-1524

Reply

Terminal Disclaimer Form

Additional sheets containing statements establishing unintentional delay

Other: Revocation and New Power of Attorney;  
Executed Declaration and Power of Attorney

## CERTIFICATE OF MAILING OR TRANSMISSION [37 CFR 1.8(a)]

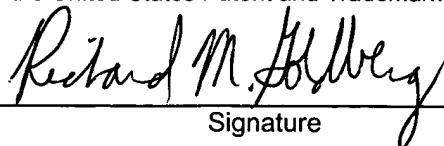
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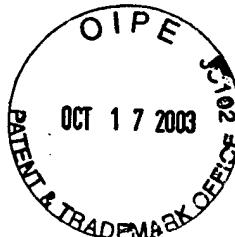
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**CONFIRMATION NO. 7030**  
**ABANDONMENT/TERMINATION**  
**LETTER**



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**NOTICE OF ABANDONMENT UNDER 37 CFR 1.53 (f) OR (g)**

The above-identified application is abandoned for failure to timely or properly reply to the Notice to File Missing Parts (Notice) mailed on 11/20/2001.

- No reply was received.

A petition to the Commissioner under 37 CFR 1.137 may be filed requesting that the application be revived.

Under 37 CFR 1.137(a), a petition requesting the application be revived on the grounds of **UNAVOIDABLE DELAY** must be filed promptly after the applicant becomes aware of the abandonment and such petition must be accompanied by: (1) an adequate showing of the cause of unavoidable delay; (2) the required reply to the above-identified Notice; (3) the petition fee set forth in 37 CFR 1.17(l); and (4) a terminal disclaimer if required by 37 CFR 1.137(d).

Under 37 CFR 1.137(b), a petition requesting the application be revived on the grounds of **UNINTENTIONAL DELAY** must be filed promptly after applicant becomes aware of the abandonment and such petition must be accompanied by: (1) a statement that the entire delay was unintentional; (2) the required reply to the above-identified Notice; (3) the petition fee set forth in 37 CFR 1.17(m); and (4) a terminal disclaimer if required by 37 CFR 1.137(d).

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